



मध्यप्रदेश राजपत्र

(असाधारण)

प्राधिकार से प्रकाशित

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भोपाल, सोमवार, दिनांक 6 नवम्बर 2017—कार्तिक 15, शक 1939

विधि और विधायी (निर्वाचन) कार्य विभाग

भोपाल, दिनांक 6 नवम्बर 2017

क्र. 84(9)-वि.निर्वा.-चार-2017-उपचुनाव-9633.—भारत निर्वाचन आयोग का निम्नांकित निर्देश क्रमांक 576/EVM/ECI/LET/FUNC/JUD/SDR/VOL.I/2017, दिनांक 6 नवम्बर 2017 सर्वसाधारण की जानकारी के लिये प्रकाशित किया जाता है।

एस. एस. बंसल, सचिव.

ELECTION COMMISSION OF INDIA
Nirvachan Sadan, Ashoka Road, New Delhi—110 001

New Delhi, Dated 6th November, 2017

DIRECTION

No. 576/3/EVM/ECI/LET/FUNC/JUD/SDR/VOL-I/2017.—WHEREAS, Section 61A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951, provides that the giving and recording of votes by Voting Machines in such manner as may be prescribed, may be adopted in such constituency or constituencies as the Election Commission of India may, having regard to the circumstances of each case specify; and

2. WHEREAS, as per the proviso to rule 49A of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, a Printer with a drop box of such design, as may be approved by the Election Commission of India, may also be attached to voting machine for printing a paper trail of the vote, in such constituency or constituencies or parts thereof as the Election Commission of India may direct; and

3. WHEREAS, the Commission has considered the circumstances in 61-Chitrakoot Assembly Constituencies in the State of Madhya Pradesh in which by election is currently in progress, and is satisfied that sufficient

number of Electronic Voting Machines and Printers for printing Paper trail so as to same as Voter Verifiable Paper Audit Trail (VVPAT) are available for taking the poll in the abovementioned Assembly Constituency, the polling personnel are well trained in efficient handling of the Electronic Voting Machines and Printers for Paper Trail (hereafter referred to as 'VVPAT printers') and the electors are also fully conversant with the operation of the Electronic Voting Machines and the said Printers;

4. Now, THEREFORE, the Election Commission of India, in exercise of its powers under the said Section 61A of the Representation of the people Act, 1951, and rule 49A of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, hereby specifies 61-Chitrakoot Assembly Constituencies in the State of Madhya Pradesh, as the constituencies in which the votes at the current by election to the State Legislative Assembly of Madhya Pradesh, notified on 16 October, 2017, shall be given and recorded by means of Electronic Voting Machines and the said VVPAT printers in the manner prescribed, under the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, and the supplementary instructions issued by the Commission from time to time on the subject.

5. The Commission also hereby approves the design of the Electronic Voting Machine and the Printer with the drop box (the VVPAT Printers) as developed by the Bharat Electronics Ltd., Bangalore and Electronics Corporation of India Ltd., Hyderabad, which shall be attached to the said voting machines, to be used for the giving and recording of votes in the above said Assembly Constituencies.

By order,
Sd./-
(N. T. BHUTIA)
Secretary,
Election Commission of India.